

Table 8: U.S. Export Sales Summary ^{1/}

Upland cotton sales for delivery in MY 1998/99 during May 6 - May 27, 1999 (4 weeks) registered net sales of 130,800 running bales, a weekly average of 32,700 bales. In MY 1997/98, Upland sales during May 1 - May 28, 1998 registered net sales of 167,900 running bales, a weekly average of 41,975 bales. The weekly upland export average through May 27 for MY 1998/99 was 96,367 running bales against MY 1997/98's weekly export average of 132,000 running bales. Accumulated exports through May 27 for MY 1998/99 were 3.26 million bales compared with 5.68 million bales last year. Total upland outstanding sales for MY 1998/99 were 0.79 million running bales compared with 1.69 million the same time a year ago. Upland commitments to date were 4.05 million bales compared with 7.38 million bales last year. Pima export sales during May 6 - May 27 for delivery during MY 1998/99 totaled 22,700 running bales and total net sales were 13,500 running bales. Pima exports through May 27 for MY 1998/99 totaled 230,000 running bales, compared with 382,500 running bales from the same time a year ago. Total Pima commitments amounted to 301,400 running bales.

U.S. Cotton Export Sales For 4 -Week Period May 6 - May 27, MY 1998/99 (1,000 Running Bales)					
Region/Country	Pima	All Upland	-----Upland-----		
			>1-1/16"	1" to 1-1/16"	< 1"
European Union ^{2/}	0.7	3.1	3.1	0.0	0.0
Other Western Europe	0.0	33.4	32.0	0.4	1.0
Eastern Europe	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Former Soviet Union	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Japan	2.0	15.9	15.7	-0.5	0.8
Taiwan	0.1	7.4	5.1	2.2	0.0
China	0.0	6.7	6.1	0.6	0.0
Korea Republic	0.3	7.3	7.4	-0.1	0.0
India	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Other Asia & Oceania	8.7	27.9	15.4	2.8	9.6
Africa	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Western Hemisphere	1.7	29.7	21.4	8.3	0.0
Total Unknown	<u>-0.7</u>	<u>-0.6</u>	<u>-0.6</u>	<u>0.0</u>	<u>0.0</u>
Total Net Sales	13.5	130.8	105.6	13.8	11.4
Note: Totals may not add due to rounding. ^{1/} Total Net Sales includes 691,700 running bales of Upland and 40,700 of Pima carryover from MY 1997/98. ^{2/} European Union refers to the group of 15 countries formerly known as the European Community. Source: USDA/FAS					

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